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Dear Sir/Madam:

This Response is in reply to the Non-Final Office Action mailed May 2, 2006. The following pending claims are not amended.